ROYAL COURT

20th November, 1987

Her Majesty's Attorney General

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G.J. Chapron

Bail Application

Before the Deputy Bailliff, assisted by Jurats Orchard and Gruchy.

Solicitor General for Crown

Advocate A.D. Robinson for applicant

The Deputy Bailiff: The Court approves and applies the principle of law set down by the Royal Court in the case of A.G. -v- D.H. Chapman 40 P.C. 413 to the effect that this Court will not entertain such an application or appeal unless it could be shown that the Assistant Magistrate had failed properly to exercise his discretion when he refused to release the applicant on bail, pending the determination of his appeal. Applying that principle of law and taking into account everything which has been said to us, we are not satisfied that the Assistant Magistrate erred, we believe that he did properly exercise his discretion. Accordingly the application is dismissed.

Authority cited.

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